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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Mr.
To: Special Agent
North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Box 741
Dickinson, North Dakota 58601

FBI FILE NO.

95-20163A
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ReUnknown Subject;
Russell Charles Means - Suspect;
Assault - Handwriting Examination

LAB. NO.

D-750617020 IL

YOUR NO.

13-75007

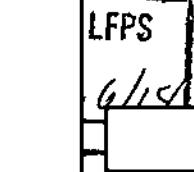
Examination by:

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Letter dated 6/13/75

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:



Q1 Charge slip dated 6/7/75, in the name "Russell Means"

X1 Bail Reform Act Form, Appearance Bond and Appearance Bond for Non-Surety bearing writings of RUSSELL MEANS

Q1 + K1 to contribute
with 27MS next
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Lock Box 1054
Bismarck, North Dakota 58501

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ENCLOSURE

[NOTE: A defendant for whom conditions of release are imposed and who after twenty-four hours from the time of the release hearing continues to be detained as a result of his inability to meet the conditions of release, shall, upon application, be entitled to have the conditions reviewed by the judicial officer who imposed them.]

Part III.—Appearance and Penalties

pppearance It is hereby FURTHER ORDERED that the defendant shall appear next at
Bismarck, North Dakota as directed by U.S. District Court

Place

Date and Time

enalties and at such other places and times as the United States Magistrate or Court may order or direct.

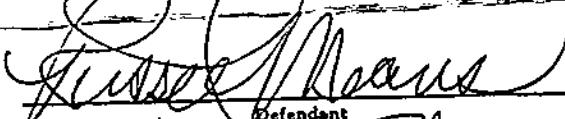
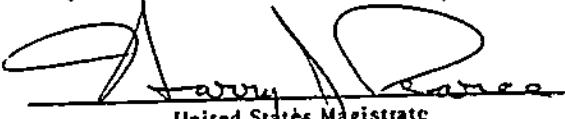
If the defendant violates any condition of his release, a warrant for his arrest will issue immediately. After arrest, the terms and conditions of any further release will be redetermined.

If the defendant fails to appear before any court or judicial officer as required, an additional criminal case may be instituted against him. If the failure to appear is in connection with a charge of felony, or while awaiting sentence, or pending appeal or certiorari after conviction, the penalty is a fine of not more than \$5,000 or imprisonment for not more than five years, or both; if he fails to appear after being released on a misdemeanor charge, the penalty is a fine of not more than the maximum provided for the misdemeanor or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

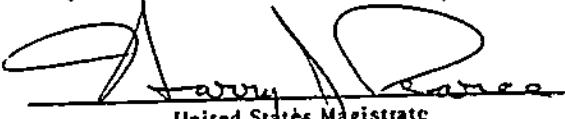
Part IV.—Acknowledgment by Defendant

cknowledgment I Russell Charles Means, understand the methods and conditions of my release
Defendant which have been checked above and the penalties and forfeitures applicable in the event I violate any condition or fail to appear as required.

I agree to comply fully with each of the obligations imposed on my release and to notify the Magistrate or Court promptly in the event I change the address indicated below.


Russell Charles Means
Defendant
724 S. 11th St.
Address
BISMARCK N.D.
City and State Tel. No.


RELEASE ORDERED:


United States Magistrate
or
United States District Judge

Date: June 10, 1975

7506170201 IL KI

NORTH DAKOTA,

vs.

RUSSELL MEANS,

Defendant.

APPEARANCE BOND NON-SURETY
FOR

2342

RUSSELL MEANS

I, the undersigned defendant, acknowledge that I am personally bound to pay to County of Morton the sum of \$25,000.00, in cash.

The conditions of this bond are that the defendant, RUSSELL MEANS, is to appear before WILLIAM G. ENGELTER, County Court Judge for the County of Morton, North Dakota, at MANDAN, NORTH DAKOTA,

and at such other places as the defendant may be required to appear, in accordance with any and all orders and directions relating to the defendant's appearance in the above entitled matter as may be given or issued by the County Court Judge or any other Court within Morton County to which the defendant may be removed or the cause transferred; that the defendant is not to depart the State of North Dakota, except in accordance with such orders as may be issued by this Court or any other Court within the jurisdiction of Morton County; that the defendant is to abide any judgement entered in such matter by surrendering himself to serve any sentence imposed and obeying any order or direction in connection with such judgement as the Court imposing it may prescribe.

If the defendant appears as ordered and otherwise obeys and performs the foregoing conditions of this bond, then this bond is to be void, but if the defendant fails to obey or perform any of these conditions, payment of the amount of this bond shall be due forthwith. Forfeiture of this bond for any breach of its conditions may be declared by any Court within Morton County having cognizance of the above entitled matter at the time of such breach and if the bond is forfeited and if the forfeiture is not set aside or remitted, judgement may be entered upon motion in any Court within Morton County against each debtor jointly and severally for the amount above stated, together with interest and costs, and execution may be issued and payment secured as provided by the North Dakota Rules of Criminal Procedure and by other laws of the State of North Dakota.

It is agreed and understood that this is a continuing bond which shall continue in full force and effect until such time as the undersigned is duly exonerated. *from the offense for a violation of section 12-26-10 N.D.C.C.*

This bond is signed on this 11 day of June, 1975, at Bismarck, North Dakota.

Russell Means
Defendant

724 S. 1st St. BISMARCK
Address

Signed and acknowledge before me this 11th day of June, 1975.

William G. Engelter
William G. Engelter
County Court Judge

V.

RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS

No. 2-75-21M

RUSSELL CHARLES MEANSNon-surety: I, the undersigned defendant, acknowledge that I and my . . .Surety: We, the undersigned, jointly and severally acknowledge that we and our . . .

personal representatives, jointly and severally, are bound to pay to the United States of America the sum of \$ 5,000.00, ^{1/}and there has been deposited in the Registry of the Court the sum of \$ _____
 in cash ^{2/}or _____, (describe other security) ^{3/}-
 a sum not exceeding 10% of the amount of the bond ^{4/} unsecured bond.

The conditions of this bond are that the defendant RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS

is to appear before HARRY J. PEARCE, United States Magistrate for the
 S.W. Division - District of North Dakota, at Bismarck, North Dakota, and in the
 United States District Court for the S.W. Division - District of North Dakota at

Bismarck, North Dakota, and at such other places as the defendant may be required to appear, in accordance with any and all orders and directions relating to the defendant's appearance in the above entitled matter as may be given or issued by the magistrate or by the United States District

Court for the S.W. Division - District of North Dakota or any other United States District Court to which the defendant may be removed or the cause transferred; that the defendant is not to depart

the District of North Dakota, or the jurisdiction of any other United States District Court to which the defendant may be removed or the cause transferred after he has appeared in such other district pursuant to the terms of this bond, except in accordance with such orders or warrants as may be issued by the magistrate or the United States District Court for the S.W. Division -

District of North Dakota or the United States District Court for such other district; that the defendant is to abide any judgment entered in such matter by surrendering himself to serve any sentence imposed and obeying any order or direction in connection with such judgment as the court imposing it may prescribe.

If the defendant appears as ordered and otherwise obeys and performs the foregoing conditions of this bond, then this bond is to be void, but if the defendant fails to obey or perform any of these conditions, payment of the amount of this bond shall be due forthwith. Forfeiture of this bond for any breach of its conditions may be declared by any United States District Court having cognizance of the above entitled matter at the time of such breach and if the bond is forfeited and if the forfeiture is not set aside or remitted, judgment may be entered upon motion in such United States District Court against each debtor jointly and severally for the amount above stated, together with interest and costs, and execution may be issued and payment secured as provided by the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure and by other laws of the United States.

It is agreed and understood that this is a continuing bond which shall continue in full force and effect until such time as the undersigned are duly exonerated.

This bond is signed on this 10th day of June 1975

at Bismarck, North Dakota.

Name of Defendant. Russell Charles Means Address. 724 S. 11th St.

Name of Surety. Address. BISMARCK, N.D.

Name of Surety. Address.

Signed and acknowledged before me this 10th day of June 1975.

Approved: HARRY J. PEARCE

HARRY J. PEARCE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE

^{1/}Where no deposit is required delete the remainder of this paragraph.

^{2/}Where no sureties are required, indicate full amount of cash deposited in registry.

^{3/}If a form of security other than cash is deposited, describe.

^{4/}If the amount ordered to be paid exceeds 10 percent of the bond, delete.

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EXAMINER

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INITIALS _____



STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION

DIVISION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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LOCK BOX 1054
BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA 58501
TELEPHONE (701) 224-2990

SPECIAL AGENTS

June 13, 1975

Mr. Clarence M. Kelley, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20535

ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY
(Document & Latent Fingerprint
Section)

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Dear Mr. Kelley:

REF: RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS, FBI #877 277-C, suspect

Our BCI Case Number 13-75007

At approximately 1430 hours, on 6/7/75, several individuals came into the Fort Rice Bar and proceeded to beat up the [redacted]. After the assault, an individual identified as Russell Means asked for and received three cases of beer and two cartons of cigarettes, to which he then signed his name and address on the charge slip.

I am forwarding to you by registered mail, the charge slip for examination after latent fingerprints and if any are developed they are to be compared against those of the suspect Russell Means.

I also respectfully request a handwriting analysis be conducted on the enclosed charge slip, but only on that portion which states, "Russell Means, 724 S. 11th St. Bismarck", for comparison against the same wordage used on the three enclosed 'appearance bond' sheets.

EX-105 REC-20 JUN-23 95-20163
Our problem, as I had stated during my telephone conversation of 6/13/75 with both latent and document section, is that our prosecutor is requesting these articles be returned in time for our 6/25/75 scheduled court hearing into this matter.

CR-39 6-17 SO JUN 16 1975

ENCLOSURE
ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

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FBI Laboratory
6/13/75

I thank you for any assistance you may provide in this case and apologize
for any inconveniences this rush request may cause.



Special Agent
North Dakota Crime Bureau
Box 741
Dickinson, ND 58601

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Mr. [redacted]
To: Special Agent
North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Box 741
Dickinson, North Dakota 58601

FBI FILE NO.

95-20163A
D-750617020 IL

Re: Unknown Subject;
Russell, Charles Means - Suspect;
Assault - Handwriting Examination

LAB. NO.

13-75007

Examination by:

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Letter dated 6/13/75.

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

Q1 Charge slip dated 6/7/75, in the name "Russell Means"

K1 Bail Reform Act Form, Appearance Bond and Appearance Bond ~~form~~ Non-Surety bearing writings of RUSSELL MEANS
Charles

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Lock Box 1054.
Bismarck, North Dakota 58501

① No card. K1 (Russell Charles Means)
has a hysig on Q1 because the
"Russell Means" name on Q1 is
typed and is not comp with the
"Russell Means" serial
hysig on the K1 items
and because of some vars.
in the typed address on Q1
not acted for photo. PHOTOGRAPHED

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② For pos in info - char. noted in the typed address the gov on
Q1, which says etc, etc.

③ Q1 & K1 will be ret. to [redacted] for sigs with result
④ Photo disk made out on

JUN 16 1975

①) RUSSELL MEANS

724 5th St.
BISMARCK

+ no period.

K) Russel Means

724 5th St.

BISMARCK, N.D.

724 5th St.

BISMARCK.

724 5th St. BISMARCK

REPORT
of the

L - Mr. [redacted]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

Mr. [redacted]

Special Agent

North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Box 761
Dickinson, North Dakota 58601

June 18, 1975

AIRMAILEX 102
FBI FILE NO.
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LAB. NO.

D-750617020 IL

Unknown Subject:

Russell Charles Means - Suspect;
Assault - Handwriting Examination

YOUR NO.

13-75007

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Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Letter dated 6/13/75

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

- Q1 Charge slip dated 6/7/75, in the name "Russell Moana"
- K1 Bail Reform Act form, Appearance Bond form, and Appearance Bond Non-Surety form bearing writings of RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS
- 2 - Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Lock Box 1054
Bismarck, North Dakota 58501

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This examination has been made with the understanding that the evidence is connected with an official investigation of a criminal matter and that the Laboratory report will be used for official purposes only, related to the investigation or a subsequent criminal prosecution. Authorization cannot be granted for the use of the Laboratory report in connection with a civil proceeding.

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MAIL ROOM [redacted] TELETYPE UNIT [redacted]

56 JUL 09 1975

Curt Kelley

Clarence M. [redacted]
 (P) 7412 STB
 6736 IB
 LFC [redacted] 6736 IB

Result of examination:

No conclusion was reached whether RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS, writer of K1, prepared the questioned hand printing on Q1 because the "Russell Means" name on Q1 is hand printed and is not comparable with the "Russell Means" script handwritten signatures on the K1 items and because of some variations in the hand printed address on Q1 which could not be accounted for based on the hand printed addresses on the K1 items.

For possible investigative information, characteristics were noted in various portions of the questioned writing on Q1 which suggest the advisability of submitting additional dictated hand printing samples of RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS, K1, if a further comparison is desired. The dictated hand printing samples should consist of the name and address which appear on Q1. A sufficient number of samples should be obtained until it is believed that variations in the hand printing of MEANS can be accounted for. The hand printing samples preferably should be prepared on slips of ruled paper. MEANS should at no time be permitted to see or copy from the questioned item.

Q1 and K1 will be returned to you separately along with the results of the requested latent fingerprint examination of Q1.

Photographs of Q1 and K1 were made and are being retained for possible future comparison purposes.

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To: Mr. [redacted] Received 6/18/75
Special Agent North Dakota Bureau
North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Box 741 Post Office Box 741 95-20163-2
Dickinson, North Dakota 58601

FBI FILE NO.

R UNKNOWN SUBJECT(S):

DICKINSON, NORTH DAKOTA
JUNE 7, 1975
ASSAULT

LAB. NO. D-750617020 IL

YOUR NO. 13-75007
LC# B-13269-

Examination by:

Examination requested by: Addressee

Reference: Letter dated 6/13/75

Noted by:

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimens received:

Q1 Charge slip dated 6/7/75, in the name "Russell Means"
KL Bail Reform Act Form, Appearance Bond and Appearance
Bond for Non-Surety bearing writings of RUSSELL MEANS
Named Suspect: RUSSELL CHARLES MEANS, FBI# 877 277 C Charles

Note: Trial
Mr. Richard S. Wille
Chief Agent

10 - Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Lock Box 1054
Bismarck, North Dakota 58501

Q1 proc I, mrs 45 n no lat outg & the last
dictated 6/18/75
described.

Spec together with #1 item being knowable by
me.

Examination completed 3 PM 6/18/75 Dictated 1/10/75
2 AM Time Date Date



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

Case #13-75007

June 19, 1975

B-13269

REGISTERED AIRMAIL

TO:

Mr. [REDACTED]

SPECIAL DELIVERY

Special Agent

North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Post Office Box 741
Dickinson, North Dakota 58601b6
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RE:

[REDACTED]

DICKINSON, NORTH DAKOTA
JUNE 7, 1975
ASSAULTREFERENCE Letter June 13, 1975
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY Addressee
SPECIMENS One charge slip, Q1The listed Q specimen is further described
in a separate Laboratory report. 95-201631-2SI REC 68
No latent prints of value were present or
could be developed on the specimen.The specimen, together with 51 items bearing
known handwriting, which were submitted for laboratory
examination only, is enclosed.

Enclosures (2)

- 1 - Mr. Richard S. Hilde - (AIRMAIL)
 Chief Agent
 Bureau of Criminal Investigation
 Lock Box 1054
 Bismarck, North Dakota
 58501

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Clarence M. Kelley
 Clarence M. Kelley, Director

Assoc. Dir.	_____
Dep. AD/Adm.	_____
Dep. AD Inv.	_____
Asst. Dir.:	_____
Admin.	_____
Comp. Syst.	_____
Ext. Affairs	_____
Files & Com.	_____
Gen. Inv.	_____
Ident.	_____
Inspection	_____
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Laboratory	_____
Legal Coun.	_____
Plan. & Eval.	_____
Spec. Inv.	_____
Training	_____
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Director's Secy.	_____
MAIL ROOM	_____
TELETYPE UNIT	_____